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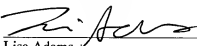
Dear Sir:

Japanese patent No. JP-HI-215290 was previously cited by the Examiner on November 14, 2007. It is respectfully requested that the attached certified translation be entered in the record and expressly considered during the prosecution of this application.

Applicant believes that no filing fee is due for the submission of this foreign patent translation, however, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 141449, under Order No. 102863-23.

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